



## **USCGC SPENCER (WMEC 905)**

## COMMAND PHILOSOPHY

The core values of "Honor, Respect, and Devotion to Duty" will serve as our guiding principles as we carry out the statutory missions of the Coast Guard. We will operate SPENCER to protect those on the sea, our nation from threats delivered by the sea, and the sea itself.

- Make safety a priority and take care of each other, on and off duty.
- Be professional and do the right thing, on and off duty.
- Respect diversity. Each one of us brings different skills, experiences, and perspectives to SPENCER.
- Consistently work to improve yourself, your shipmates, and SPENCER; strive for operational excellence.
- We will all make mistakes, own those mistakes and learn from them.

We will work hard; there is no doubt about it, take pride in that. We will also have fun. When you reflect upon your service to the country the time you spent at sea should be among the most memorable and rewarding. Be proud to call yourself a "sailor," it is a distinction tough to earn.

As your Commanding Officer, I will be open, fair, and honest. I will do what I can to help you achieve the goals you set, no matter what those goals are. My job is to make sure you have a positive environment to work and grow. **Give me your best and I will give you mine!** 

A. W. Williams

Commanding Officer, USCGC SPENCER (WMEC 905)

Honor – Valor – Tradition